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## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

### GREAT JACKSON ROUTE.

#### ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

After May 21, 1887, trains will leave Milan as follows:

**SOUTH.**  
No. 1, at 5:35 a.m.  
No. 3, at 2:20 p.m.  
No. 5, at 8:51 p.m.  
**NORTH.**  
No. 2, at 5:35 a.m.  
No. 4, at 12:21 p.m.  
No. 6, at 9:05 p.m.  
E. M. BROWN, Ticket Agent.  
A. H. HANSON, Gen'l. Pass. Agent, Chicago.  
H. J. W. COLEMAN, Asst. G. P. A., New Orleans, La.

### LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R.

Trains leave Milan as follows on and after May 29, 1887.

#### PASSENGER TRAINS.

No. 1, south, leaves at 1:13 a.m.  
No. 3, " " " " 12:45 p.m.  
No. 2, north, " " 2:15 p.m.  
No. 4, " " " " 1:47 a.m.  
No. 5 leaves Milan at 5:30 a. m.  
Arrives at Memphis 9:00 a. m.  
No. 10 leaves Memphis 5:00 p. m.  
Arrives at Milan 8:50 p. m.  
Both trains run daily.  
O. F. CANTWELL, Ticket Agent.

#### N. C. & St. L.

Lv Nashville 7:15 a.m. Ar McKeesville 11:45 p.m.  
" " 7:25 p.m. " " 12:15 p.m.

#### EAST BOUND.

Lv McKeesville 3:55 p.m. Ar Nashville 7:40 p.m.  
" " 2:35 a.m. " " 7:05 a.m.  
O. F. CANTWELL, Agent.

## CITY DIRECTORY.

### CITY OFFICERS.

J. N. Stone, Mayor.  
W. B. Bryant, City Marshal.  
H. B. Mitchell, J. H. Blankinship, R. F. Harris, R. E. Edwards, G. W. Harrison and D. A. Taylor, Aldermen.

### CHURCHES.

Baptist—Church street. J. P. Weaver, pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Sunday school 9 a.m.  
Methodist—North Main street—E. B. Graham, pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Sunday school 9 a.m.  
Cumberland Presbyterian—South Main street. D. Lewis, pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening. Sunday school 9 a.m.

### MASONS.

Milan Lodge, No. 191—Josiah Claybrook, W. M.; R. E. Edwards, Secretary. Meets 1st Monday night in each month.

### K. of H.

Liberty Lodge, No. 453—W. G. Vanhook, W. M.; T. D. Jackson, Reporter. Lodge meets 1st and 3rd Friday night in each month.

### K. of P.

Prospero Lodge, No. 24—H. W. Loving, C. C.; W. Y. Williamson, K. R. S. Meets every Thursday night.

### A. O. U. W.

Stonewall Lodge, No. 30—A. Chambers, M. W.; M. D. L. Jordan, Recorder. Meets 3rd and 5th Friday nights.

### K. and L. of H.

Eagle Lodge, No. 96—Meets 1st and 3rd Monday nights in each month. S. H. Hale, P. M.; W. A. Wade, Secretary.

### AGRICULTURAL WHEEL.

Gibson County Wheel meets the 1st, Thursday in January, April, July and October. L. W. Pitman, Pres.; M. B. Johnson, Sec.; Rutherford.

Walnut Grove, No. 55, meets Saturdays before the 1st and 3rd Sundays in each month. L. W. Pitman, Pres.; J. R. McCoy, Secretary.

No. 65 meets the 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month. S. H. Hughes, President. J. W. Thomas, Jr., Secretary.

Pratt's No. 70, meets on Saturday before the 1st moon in each month. J. M. Pratt, Pres.; T. J. Lisenberry, Sec.

Johnson School-House Wheel, No. 582, meets Thursday night before the full moon in each month. J. C. Jones, President. L. N. Jones, Secretary.

### Election Notice.

In obedience to an ordinance passed on the 8th of August, 1887, by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Milan, in which the Constable was ordered to open and hold an election on the 13th day of Sept., 1887, at every voting place of said town to ascertain the will of the qualified voters of Milan on the subject of making a subscription of \$15,000 in bonds to the Tennessee Central & Alabama Railroad as provided in said ordinance, I will, on the said 13th day of September, 1887, open and hold an election for said purpose as provided in said ordinance. Those favoring said subscription will have written or printed upon their tickets the words "For subscription" and those opposed the words "No subscription." This 11th August, 1887.

W. B. BRYANT, T. C.

### \$9.25 Chicago and Return. \$9.25.

A splendid opportunity to visit the great city of Chicago is offered by the Illinois Central R. R., on train No. 4, leaving Milan at 12:21 noon, Sept. 4, 1887, at the very low rate of \$9.25 for the round trip, Milan to Chicago and return. Tickets good to return at any time within fifteen days from date of sale. For further information see E. M. Brown, Ticket Agent, I. C. R. R. this place.

### They All Say So.

The general verdict is that the new Gingham and Prints are the brightest and prettiest ever seen here.

CHAMBERS' CASH HOUSE.

## SMALL CHANGE.

### Mass meeting Monday night.

The grass is growing fast since last week's rain.

See change of Owen & Co's ad. on fourth page.

Prof. J. D. Newton will lecture on prohibition at Lessenberry's Chapel to-morrow night.

A magnificent rain fell here Thursday night and yesterday. The ground received a thorough soaking.

Mr. Jack Robinson had a fine mare stolen from him last Friday night at his residence, eight miles east of here.

A Jordan, Esq., and V. L. Ware will address the citizens of Hope Hill to-night on prohibition. A big time is expected.

We understand that some of our most prominent anti's have bloomed into full-fledged prohibitionists. Let the good work go on.

Mr. Pearson, county lecturer for the agricultural wheel, will deliver an address at Hughes' school house on Wednesday, August 31st.

A syndicate is needed here now to build a lot of cozy, attractive cottages for sale or rent. Good interest could be realized on the investment.

On next Saturday the fine stock raisers of this vicinity will have a sale show. A large number of colts are expected to be in the ring.

A nice sociable was given by Miss Alice Holt last Wednesday night in honor of Miss Mamie Cunliff, of Jackson. It was a most enjoyable occasion.

Messrs. W. C. Turner, J. T. Tucker and S. P. Taylor have purchased a clover holler. It will be of great benefit to the farmers who expect to raise clover.

In Mr. O. F. Cantwell's article last week our type said the Hartford City well furnishes 900 feet of gas per day and should have said 9,000,000 feet per day.

A mass meeting is called to meet at Primary Hall Monday night. The object is to further the cause of boring for a gas well. Everybody should go.

Hons Emerson Ethridge and D. O. Thomas will address the citizens of Trenton on the first Monday in September on the proposed amendment. A division of time will be granted to the anti's.

Miss Eunice Harrison threw the doors of her beautiful parlor open to a crowd of young people last Thursday night, and it is useless to say that they enjoyed themselves, for they always do at that residence.

Mr. Corley Bryant and Miss Alice Moore were married at the residence of the bride's mother, five miles north of here, last Thursday morning, Rev. J. P. Weaver officiating. They have the best wishes of many friends.

Last Tuesday and Wednesday were the coolest days we have had since June 10th. Wednesday morning fires were kindled in great many houses and were very comfortable. Overcoats were also brought into requisition.

Elsewhere will be found a call signed by some of our best citizens, asking Senator S. B. Williamson to address the citizens of Milan upon the proposed amendment. It is to be hoped he will respond to the call and speak here at an early day.

We learn that several parties were here this week trying to rent dwelling houses, intending to move here to live. There is not a single dwelling house in the city for rent. It would be a good investment if some of our citizens would erect a number of cottages near town to rent.

Lovers of music and literature will be most pleasantly entertained at the Baptist church, Friday night, September 2d. The youth, beauty and talent of Milan will be well represented, assisted by several obliging visitors. The Ladies' Aid Society hope for a full house.

Several of our contemporaries question the fact of the angelic visitors to this neighborhood, published in this paper a few weeks since. Dear brethren, we wish you to know that Milan and all the country around is swarming with angels. If you doubt it, come and see for yourselves.

On last Saturday five tramps were arrested by Marshal Bryant for stealing water melons from Tap Staten, col. They were carried before the Mayor Monday, and as no proof could be found against them, they were discharged, and given fifteen minutes to get out of town. It is needless to say they skipped.

Why can't Milan get up a stock company to build or fit up an amusement hall in this city. We need one and it would be a great help to us as a town. The people of Milan want some place where they can spend part of the long, dreary, and wintry nights. It, to our minds, would pay the party or parties who would erect it. Let us have it by all means.

On Tuesday night Rev. M. Vann, a learned colored man, delivered a splendid address in favor of the proposed amendment in Primary Hall to quite a crowd of both white and colored citizens. He was followed by Elder Mosely and Prof. Austin, of Jackson, who made short addresses which were well received. Several anti's became offended at Vann and threatened to whip him. We learn that our city marshal had to guard him that night from several who alleged that he insulted them.

## PERSONAL.

Emerson Holloway can be seen on our streets again.

Miss Ula Hall, of Huntingdon, is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. A. J. Little, of Bradford, called on us last Wednesday.

Miss Maggie Mitchum spent a day or two in Humboldt this week.

Miss Sula Claxton, of Stanton, is visiting the family of Mr. G. L. Cain.

Mr. Percy Mitchum, of Memphis, is mixing with his many friends here.

Miss Katie Caldwell, of Hope Hill, visited the family of Mr. G. W. Wilson this week.

Miss Monie Warlick, a pretty young lady of Greenfield, visited relatives in this city this week.

Miss Mina Priest, who has been visiting relatives in Huntingdon for several weeks, returned home this week.

Charlie Mitchum says for us to personate him this week. He is a first-class carpenter, if he does weigh 285 pounds.

Mrs. W. E. Turner, after spending several weeks visiting relatives here, returned to her home, New York city, last Thursday.

Miss Mollie Bright, who formerly was a teacher in the public schools here, visited the family of Dr. M. D. L. Jordan this week.

Prof. W. J. Grannis, of Lebanon, Prof. T. P. Brennan, of Nashville, and Prof. T. H. M. Hunter, of Paris, called on us yesterday.

Prof. E. R. Williams and family, after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends at this place, returned to their home in McKeesville last Tuesday.

## RAILWAY RACKET.

Work is progressing rapidly on the old road bed between here and Trenton, to within four miles of this point.

Milan cannot afford to kill the proposition to vote \$15,000 to the Tennessee Central and Alabama road. It will be the cheapest road any town ever secured.

Last week in regard to the Tenn. Cent. & Ala. R. R. we should have said that the road, to a certainty, would be built through here provided the people of Milan voted the proposition to aid them \$15,000.

When our two new railroads are completed, Milan will rank next to Memphis in her number of railroads. Then Jackson, Humboldt, Trenton, Martin, McKeesville and Huntingdon will be our suburbs. Milan is sure to stay in the lead.

Our assistant last week erred in stating that the L. & N. company intended to build the cut-off between Milan and Huntingdon. President Thomas of the N., C. & St. L. road informs us that he intends to finish that line, so as to shorten the distance between Nashville and Memphis twelve miles, and by running through trains, shorten the time between those two cities about one hour. This will make things lively for the Midland people. Maj. Thomas is one of the most wide-awake railroad men in the country, and is doing more to develop the resources of this state than any man we know of. He is now building extensions to the McMinnville branch, the Jasper branch, the Tuscaloosa branch, and the road to Huntsville, Ala., and will soon widen the Tuscaloosa and Duck River narrow gauge roads to standard gauge. He is a Tennessee president of Tennessee roads, and thinks this the best state in the union.

The Tennessee State Teachers' Association met in Jackson last Tuesday in its twenty-third annual convention. A large crowd was present.

The impression is made hereabouts that John J. Vertrees is trying to break up the democratic party in this state by his unjust attack on ministers and other prohibition workers. He certainly has politically killed himself.

Hon. B. A. Enloe passed through Nashville this week, en route from Tate's Springs to Horn's Springs. While his health is somewhat improved, yet he is still not a well man by any means. We hope the cooler weather will do him good.

Memphis Avalanche: A case that attracted a good deal of attention was tried by Squire Pope yesterday, the complainant being W. A. Evans, a railroad man, and the defendant Mrs. S. E. Flack, a handsome widow. Evans borrowed \$190 from Mrs. Flack some time since, and alleged that she charged him \$5 per month over the regular per cent. Mrs. Flack brought suit and obtained judgment for her debt and legal interest, and then Evans sued her to recover \$70 which he alleges she has received from him as usury.

### Gene to the Bottom.

The season is nearly gone. We have some things in thin, light widths and colors that you can get at the very bottom figures. BARGAINS. Come and see them.

### CHAMBERS' CASH HOUSE.

### New Clothing.

Big lot just in. All suits and prices. CHAMBERS' CASH HOUSE.

## A Call

To the Hon. S. B. Williamson, State Senator.

We, the undersigned petitioners, do most respectfully and earnestly invite you to give us an appointment at this place, and give us your views on the great question that is now agitating the minds of the people of Tennessee, the constitution amendment, to be voted on the 29th day of September next.

A Jordan, W. A. Townes, J. L. McKelvey, E. N. Stone, C. A. Lacy, T. J. Gordon, Sid Hurt, E. B. McLean, R. E. Edwards, W. W. Blanks, J. P. Rhodes, F. W. Blankinship, G. A. Verner, Geo. Heathcock, G. W. Martin, R. B. Mitchum, T. W. Heitler, John Ford, B. D. Mills, T. J. Harrison, J. P. Weatherspoon, R. P. McKelvey, J. M. Townes, A. B. Adams, G. B. Boyd, W. H. H. Bledsoe, J. R. Foster, Wade Williams, W. B. Bryant, J. M. Dickson, S. F. Rankin, S. H. Hale, Matt Wheeler, N. J. Heathcock, J. B. Ragsdale, S. W. Martin, V. L. Ware, J. M. Witherspoon, Joseph Williams, Bob Harris, B. H. Williams, N. W. Deshong.

## LIST OF LETTERS

Remining in the postoffice at Milan, Tenn., August 12, 1887.

### Gentlemen's List.

Allen, C. M. Boswell, Sam H. Burrow, John W. Carten, T. M. Davis, A. G. Douglass, S. A. Finch, J. M. Ford, J. F. Hartwell, B. F. Hagan, H. Hewey, W. H. Hicks, Lerow. Hicks, Redin. Howard, J. W. Kimmins, J. R. Lee, Thomas. Lindsay, S. M. May, B. H. McLeomore, Tom. Morgan, Jay. Perkins, Willard E. Price, S. G. Prather, Henry. Stone, E. E. Taylor, Doced. Wammonck, J. H. Williams, G. W. Williams Peter, col. Woodson, S. F. Williamson, Walter.

### Ladies' List.

Blakemore, Jessie Booke, Catherine Cooper, Georgian Cuningham, Collie Dannee, Salah, Hicks, Isabella. Jones, Mollie. Reeves, N. J. Stewart, Ollie. Wells Wary. Williams, Nettie.

In calling for the above letters say advertised. If not called for in thirty days they will be sent to the dead-letter office. S. H. HALE, P. M.

## Resolutions of Respect from Milan Commandery, No. 70, U. O. G. C.

Whereas, our late brother, Sir Knight Andrew J. Fields, has been called by the Supreme Ruler of the universe to the celestial citadel above, therefore be it

Resolved, That we recognize the many fraternal qualities of our departed brother which have endeared him to us, and that our order has been honored by having such a member, and in his death it sustained a heavy loss.

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved wife and relatives in their deep affliction, commending them to the one unfailing Friend of those in sorrow.

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That these resolutions be placed upon our record, and a copy of the same be sent to the wife of our deceased brother and that they be published in the Milan Exchange.

C. KASTNER,  
L. G. DANNER,  
J. T. TUCKER,  
Committee.

## Keep Your Trap Set.

Old sayings are generally correct. Ours is, "If you want to catch mice ALWAYS KEEP YOUR TRAP SET." We are always at home and ready to serve you. We need a rest spell, but need money more. So when you come you will be sure to find us here ready with a good stock of new, fresh goods, to wait on you and see that prices and attention are O. K.

CHAMBERS' CASH HOUSE.